

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 674

By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to honor Melissa Mahoney, 1998 Valedictorian of  
Kenwood High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Melissa Mahoney is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as valedictorian of the 1998 graduating class at Kenwood High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Melissa Mahoney has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Melissa Mahoney has earned an exceptional grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Mahoney has been the recipient of the Warren-Taylor-Watkins Award, #1 Latin Student in America, three National Latin Exam Gold Medals, and has been inducted into the Latin National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, she has held numerous positions in the Junior Classical League, including that of Chapter Secretary/Treasurer, Chapter Co-President, Chapter President and State Editor; and

WHEREAS, Melissa's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Mahoney's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Greg and Mary Mahoney, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Melissa Mahoney's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 1998 Kenwood High School Valedictorian, Melissa Mahoney, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.